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LOAN IS POSTPONED.

Three Banks of Paris Have Held Up
Request of Russia.

IT MAY CAUSE PEACE

This Course Upon the Part of the
French Financiers It Is Thought
Will Go Far Toward End-
ing Hostilities.

London, March 15.—The revolt of the French bankers is considered by the London newspapers as the most hopeful and important news of Tuesday, promising an early peace between Russia and Japan. Apparently the proposed loan has not been absolutely refused, but only "postponed."

This, however, is regarded here as being tantamount to a refusal and is expected to speak louder to the Russian war party even than Kuropatkin's reverse at Mukden. It is the general belief that by the death of M. Germain, the late governor of the credit Lyonnais, Russia lost her strongest financial friend, in France, and that had he been alive no difficulty would have been experienced.

The American and English markets closed to her it is thought Russia can only turn to Germany, who is not likely to be much more responsive than France, and only alternative would seem to be to make peace.

Reports are current here that Japan will now demand an indemnity of between \$500,000,000 and \$750,000,000. By delay in pressing pursuit of Russia's defeated and demoralized army to Tie Pass, Field Marshal Oyama has afforded General Kuropatkin time to sort out the disorganized units of his command and restore his forces to at least a semblance of order. So far as known there is no considerable force of Japanese nearer Tie Pass than six or eight miles, but in Russian quarters there is a feeling of apprehension that some turning movement of which there is no definite information is in progress.

From Japanese sources it is reported that many straggling parties from Mukden are surrendering upon the appearance of the Japanese troops.

The council counsel of war, summoned by Emperor Nicholas, is reported to have decided that the war must be carried forward. The all important question of financial means however, is said to have reached no solution, the situation being complicated by the reported decision of French capitalists not to negotiate the loan recently offered by St. Petersburg. The probability as regarded in St. Petersburg seems to be that when General Kuropatkin has completed the task of reorganizing what is left of his army, he will be permitted to return to Russia, and that the command in Manchuria will be entrusted to General Sukhomlinoff, whose war apprenticeship was served under General Bagomiroff, who has been regarded the foremost of Russia's scientific soldiers. It is possible, however, that the command will go to Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholasvitch.

NEW RUSSIAN LOAN.

Three Paris Bankers Have Decided to Postpone the Issue.

Paris, March 15.—Inquiry at three banks principally interested in the proposed new Russian loan brought the response that it had been decided to postpone the issue. A report of one of the banks said the postponement was for such an indefinite period that it was not likely the issuance would occur for some time to come. The postponement was attributed to the uncertainties of the war situation.

Said to Be Accepted.

Paris, March 15.—The correspondent at St. Petersburg of the Petit Parisien says General Kuropatkin's resignation has been accepted and that Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholasvitch has consented to take chief command in Manchuria.

Peace Proviso.

London, March 15.—The Daily Mail declares that the French government has given Parisian banking houses clearly to understand that they must not conclude the proposed Russian loan unless Russia is prepared to negotiate for peace.

Reported Recall.

St. Petersburg, March 15.—A semi-official denial was given here of the reported recall of the Russian Second Pacific squadron.

CONSCIENCE CASH.

"A. Sinner" Makes a Substantial Contribution to the Fund.

Washington, March 15.—Secretary Shaw has received the following communication: "Dear Sir: I am sending you herewith enclosed \$12,000 which is to go to the use of the United States government. Years ago I defrauded the government of money, but have returned it all, and am now paying four-fold in accordance with the teachings of Scripture. The way of the transgressor is hard and no one but God knows how I have suffered the consequences and I would seek to do a bountiful restoration. May God pardon me while the United States government is benefited."

The amount, which was in currency, has been deposited in the treasury to the credit of the conscience fund.

SWEPT BY A STORM.

Irish and English Coasts Have Wind That Is Violent.

DROWNING OF SEAMEN

British Ship Kyber Wrecked and of Her Crew Twenty-Three Perish in the Billows That Swept the Vessel.

London, March 15.—A storm of hurricane force burst over the Irish and English coasts during Tuesday night. The British ship Kyber has been totally wrecked off the Cornish coast. Twenty-three of her crew were drowned and three saved. She sailed from Melbourne, Australia, Oct. 26 for Queenstown.

The storm swept over the north of Ireland early Wednesday morning and did great damage to property. High winds caused considerable havoc along the coasts of the United Kingdom. Telegraphic communication between London and many points was cut off. Life boat stations were busy. Numbers of minor wrecks, accompanied by loss of life, have been reported. Terrible scenes were running Wednesday. The departure of Queen Alexandra, Princess Victoria and other members of the royal family from Portsmouth for Lisbon to return the visit of the king and queen of Portugal, which has to have occurred Tuesday, was postponed.

EXECUTIONS DEFERRED.

Mrs. Edwards and Samuel Greason Not to Hang at Present.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 15.—The Pennsylvania supreme court having decided to send the case of Samuel Greason, colored, under sentence of death at Reading for the murder of John Edwards in 1901, back to the Berks county court, the board of pardons has granted a continuance in his case, also in that of Mrs. Kate Edwards, white, who was also condemned to death for the same crime. At the February session of the pardon board the condemned couple were reprieved until ten days after the present meeting of the board, so that their attorneys could again take the case of Greason before the supreme court. The decision of the board acts as a stay, pending disposal of the case by the Berks county court.

Greason and Mrs. Edwards had been sentenced to be hanged on Feb. 16, but on Feb. 15 attorneys for Greason appeared before the board of pardons and submitted evidence to the effect that Mrs. Edwards had confessed that Greason was innocent of the crime of killing her husband. The board thereupon reprieved Greason so that his case could be further investigated and reprieved Mrs. Edwards in order that she might be used as a witness in Greason's behalf.

Nothing has been done looking toward a new trial for the condemned woman, and after the Greason case is disposed of by the Berks county court her application for a commutation of her sentence will be acted upon by the board of pardons. That tribunal has twice refused to commute her sentence.

Both Greason and Mrs. Edwards have listened to the reading of the death warrant ten times and both have been under the eyes of a death watch for two years.

HONORED IN PARIS.

Service Commemorative of President's Inauguration Is Held.

Paris, March 15.—A service commemorative of the inauguration of President Roosevelt was held at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning at St. Joseph's church on Avenue Hoche. This ceremony assumed a distinctly official character. Foreign Minister Del Casse being represented by M. Delvincourt, chief of his cabinet. Others present included Ambassador Porter and staff, the American embassy, Sir Francis Bertie, British ambassador; Admiral Sir Charles Fane of the British navy and representatives of the Japanese and several other legations. The front of the church was decorated with American and French flags. Abbe McMullen preached the sermon, eulogizing President Roosevelt. The ceremony was rather a marked departure from the usual conservatism of the French churches.

ANOTHER MYSTERY.

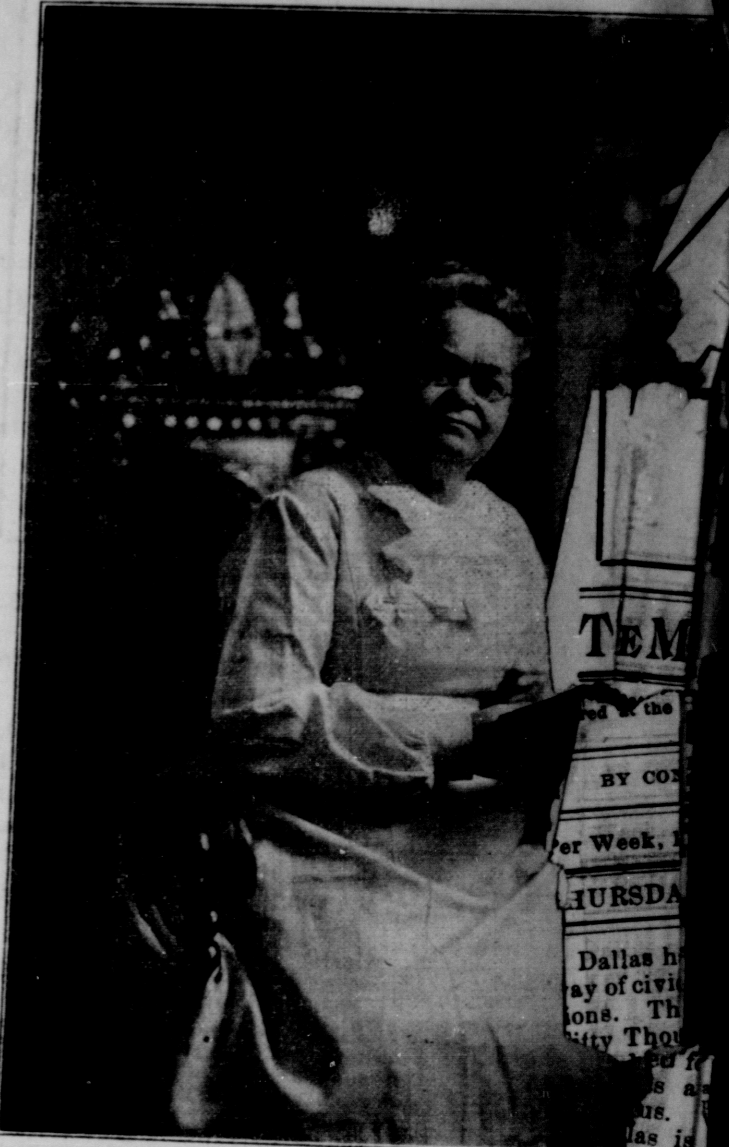
Woman Was Dead and the Man in an Unconscious Condition.

New York, March 15.—The body of a woman who had been dead several hours and of a man unconscious and apparently dying were found in a cab which was driven up to the Brooklyn police station in a gallop early Wednesday. The man, who was suffering from alcoholism, or possibly from the effects of a drug, may recover. Although the condition of the man is so serious that he could give the police little information which would aid them in their investigation, he said his name is Thomas Deegan, that he lived in Monroe street, one of the better class of residential sections of Brooklyn. The dead woman, he said, was Miss Mary Savage, thirty years old. Both Deegan and Miss Savage were well dressed.

Ohio Rising Rapidly.

Evansville, Ind., March 14.—The Ohio is rising rapidly because of melting snows and late rains in the upper re-

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gions. The waters reached a stage of thirty-six feet Wednesday morning—one foot past the danger line. Little damage had been done up to Wednesday night, although much farming lowland is flooded. It is expected the crest of the rise will reach here Friday with a maximum of thirty-eight feet and the high water will pass off without much damage.

Five Have Died.

Denver, March 15.—Police Captain William Bohanna, who was shot by George Shistler last Sunday while driving in the police ambulance to the assistance of other victims of Shistler's murderous fire, died at Emergency hospital at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning. Including Shistler himself, Bohanna is the fifth to die as the result of the fury of a madman.

By Unanimous Vote.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 15.—The senate amended the house bill providing that pool selling making should be considered less so as to make such a measure and passed the bill by unanimous vote.

Four More Bodies.

Birmingham, Ala., March 15.—The removal of the last from the Virginia mine, total fatalities from the explosion of Feb. 20 were

As Soon as

Washington, March 15.—Ainsworth says the Confederate southern capitals as gathered up.



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Coulter's Salvage Sale.

GREAT TRIAL AT AUSTIN ENDED.

Jury Brought in a Verdict Declaring Moore Not Guilty.

Mr. Tyler Haswell received late yesterday afternoon from the Houston Post a telegram announcing that the long drawn out and sensational bribery case trial of Warren A. Moore, ended at Austin yesterday, the jury by verdict declaring Moore not guilty.

MR. WERT SPENCER.

Mr. W. W. Spencer, our new baseball coach, arrived Saturday afternoon, and began work Monday. Mr. Spencer's ability, both a cool, steady ball player, and one who thoroughly understands the game, is readily recognized by all who know him. He began ball playing in '88, and entered the professional list in '91 as a pitcher in the Southern league. From there in '95 he went to the Texas league, and in '97 to the Western league.

Mr. Spencer entered upon his successful career as an umpire in '02 with the North Texas league; from there in '04 to the South Texas league, and will fill a similar position in the Cotton State league the coming season.

And now track athletics are coming to the front. Some days ago the athletic managers of the different classes men and began to make preliminary preparations for the meet on Field Day, April 21st. So far just what different events will be listed has not been decided yet, but it is certain that they will be sufficiently varied to give very fast or strong man a chance to work in his specialty.—The Battalion.

ELECTION ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the city of Bryan:

That an election for city officers, to-wit: Marshal, Secretary and three members of the city council, shall be held by the qualified voters of said city, at the city hall in Bryan on the first Tuesday in April next, it being the fourth day of said month; and the presiding officer, together with such others as he may appoint, shall hold said election in accordance with the city charter and ordinances and the state law governing elections. Adopted by the city council and approved by the Mayor, this 17th day of January, 1905.

C. M. Spell, R. H. Harrison, April 4. S. B. C. Mayor.

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\$7.50 men's suits, soiled, \$2.33
Ladies \$3.00 shoes, small sizes, 33c
Ladies \$3.00 shoes small sizes 44c
20c Oil Cloth best 10 at Coulter's. 85

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In the treatment of deafness which is often a result of catarrh Hyomei acts almost immediately upon the inflamed membrane and the hearing begins to return at once. A few days treatment will bring relief, and in three or four weeks, according to the severity of the case, a cure will be accomplished.

Miss Meeks of Mattawan, N. Y. says: "Hyomei is truly wonderful. I have used it but a short time and see a great change in my condition. My hearing is improving rapidly, and I had no idea I would improve so rapidly it is so short a time. My breath which was so offensive to myself and others, has lost its bad odor entirely. I have spent a great deal of money with catarrh specialists and can truly say that six months of their treatment is not equal to one month of Hyomei."

E. J. Jenkins is selling Hyomei upon the unusual plan of agreeing to return the money if the medicine does not cure.

A complete outfit costs only \$1.00 and consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the vest pocket, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. The inhaler will last a lifetime and there is enough Hyomei for several weeks' treatment. Additional bottles of Hyomei can be procured for 50 cents. Compare this small expense with the fees charged by specialists and then remember that if Hyomei does not cure E. J. Jenkins will return your money.

Attention, Camp J. B. Robertson.

All members of Camp J. B. Robertson, U. C. V., are hereby ordered to meet at the courthouse in Bryan at 2 p. m., Saturday, March 18, for the purpose of electing officers, payment of dues and to pass suitable resolutions on the death of John H. Reagan. By order of B. F. Leman, Commander. W. G. Mitchell, Adjutant.

Extensive Washouts.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 15.—On the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific railroads extensive washouts have occurred and traffic is tied up. One man was drowned near Cajon Pass. A landslide happened at the latter place, burying the railroad track beneath tons of earth.

Practically Wiped Out.

Memphis, March 15.—A Commercial Appeal special from Belen, Miss., says the business portion of that town was practically wiped out by fire, the losses totaling nearly \$50,000. The fire started in a meat market leased by a negro. Five stores and one residence burned.

REDUCTION OF FORCE.

Ticket Broker Bill Was Also Discussed in the Senate.

Austin, March 15.—A resolution by Senator Looney providing for the discharge of seven committee clerks, four porters, two pages, and the assistant doorkeeper, in order to save \$1,596 a month in salaries was, after a short debate in the senate, referred to the committee on contingent expenses.

On motion of Senator Griggs it was ordered that a biography of John H. Reagan, which occurred in the Chicago Record-Herald of March 7, be printed in the journal.

A resolution by Senator Willacy providing for the appointment of a committee of five members of the senate and seven members of the house to act in conjunction with a committee of citizens of Austin in arranging for the reception of President Roosevelt, was adopted. It provided that the president of the senate and the speaker of the house should be members of the committee. On the part of the senate Lieutenant Governor Neal and Senators Willacy, Skinner, Hanger and Faust will serve.

Paulus' bill providing for licensing the ticket brokers, was engrossed after an amendment was adopted providing that the authority to use the ticket and to sign the name of the original holder must be given in writing and in connection with the ticket. Amount of license is \$600.

In the house Speaker Seabury appointed Messrs. Cobbs, Terrell of Travis, Bryan of Taylor, Webb, E. B. Blacklock and Sharpe as committee from the house to assist in the reception of President Roosevelt.

Southern Pacific railway merger bill was passed to third reading.

The bill authorizes the Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railway company to purchase and consolidate the New York, Texas and Mexican company, Gulf, West Texas and Pacific, the Galveston, Houston and Northern, and the San Antonio and Gulf Shore. The merger is conditioned upon the extension of the Gulf Shore from Stockdale to Cuero, making a through line from San Antonio to Port Lavaca.

Mr. Onion introduced a joint resolution providing for a reduction of house members to ninety-three.

Senator Davidson and others have introduced a bill to appropriate \$10,000 to erect a statue of John H. Reagan on the grounds of the state capitol.

PATRICK SILENT.

Counsel Advised Him Not to Address Court of Appeals.

Albany, March 15.—While senators assemblymen and state officers were being turned away from the door on account of lack of room inside, Albert T. Patrick sat before the robed judges of the court of appeals and heard former Senator Hill argue an appeal from the judgment convicting Patrick of the murder of William M. Rice, the New York millionaire. Patrick's original intention was to address the court, but upon the advice of his counsel he remained quiet, contenting himself with listening to the argument and making notes which he used afterward in advising Mr. Hill in regard to rebuttal.

NINETEEN DEAD.

Fire in New York Tenement Was a Most Frightful One.

New York, March 15.—Nineteen persons lost their lives as the result of the burning of the five-story tenement at 105 Allen street. More than forty were injured and only a few of the inmates escaped unhurt. Coroner Krantz says he has reason to believe the fire was of incendiary origin.

The building was one of the usual crowded tenements and the disaster was the worst in the history of the East Side. The district attorney's office has begun an investigation to place the blame for the great loss of life.

Chief Croker of the fire department asserts that the police and the eminent house departments are to blame for the violation of the fire escape laws. The tenement department officials say that the blame is on the shoulders of the fire commissioner.

UP TO ASSEMBLY.

Colorado Legislature Must Decide Who Is the Governor.

Denver, March 15.—The supreme court's decision that the legislature cannot legally declare a vacancy in the office of governor has simplified the situation by eliminating the proposition to seat Lieutenant Governor McDonald as governor. There is now before the joint convention of the general assembly a clear cut issue between Governor Adams and James H. Peabody, contestor. The joint assembly must say which of those candidates for governorship was elected, or by declining to give any decision in the contest leaves Governor Adams in the chair.

PITCHED BATTLE.

Two Negroes Killed and Plantation Manager Is Wounded.

Memphis, March 15.—A pitched battle was fought near Lake Village, Ark. says a special to the Commercial Appeal, between a sheriff's posse and three negroes. Two of the latter were killed and the third escaped. C. D. Owens, manager of the Red Leaf plantation, was shot in an arm. The negroes were suspected of being implicated in the murder of two brothers named Watson near Dumas, Ark.

Over Twenty-Five Per Cent.

Montgomery, Ala., March 15.—A. D. Smith of Magnolia, S. C., financial agent of the Southern Cotton association, who is in the city, says that his reports from Texas and Indian Territory indicate the reduction in that state and territory is greater than 25 per cent.

BRINGS SUIT.

This Action Is Taken by Venezuela Against French Cable Company.

Washington, March 15.—Minister Bowen confirms the report that the Venezuelan government has brought suit against the French Cable company to annul its concession and seize its property. There is great indignation at Paris.

FATAL FAMILY FRACAS.

Man Killed by Son-in-Law and the Latter May Die Also.

Clarendon, Ark., March 15.—W. P. Perry was shot and killed by his son-in-law, Lawrence A. Plummer, near here, after Plummer had been shot once and stabbed seriously by Perry. Perry objected to the marriage of his daughter to Plummer March 8 last and this caused the tragedy. Plummer's wounds may prove fatal.

Gambling Apparatus Burned.

Guthrie, March 15.—By order of Judge Burford, \$500 worth of gambling apparatus was burned here by Deputy Sheriff Bob Myers. The property, confiscated in the raid here last Saturday night, consisted of twenty-five slot machines, five roulette wheels, faro outfits, crap and card tables, cards, dice, chips and all manner of gambling devices.

Boy Kills Boy.

Purcell, I. T., March 15.—Roy Newman, seventeen years old, was shot and killed by another boy, who also took a shot at George Swartz. Albert Kerr was arrested.

Meeks Acquitted.

Guthrie, March 15.—Tom Meeks was acquitted of the killing of Muriel Davis and attempted killing of Jesse Meeks, near Crescent City last fall.

Swung in a Swamp.

Mobile, March 15.—A Register special from Selma, Ala., says: Ed and Will Ptoemy, negroes, who shot and killed Professor Claude Hardy at Pineapple, Ala., were caught by a mob in a house near Allenton, Wilcox county, where they had barricaded themselves and were taken to a nearby swamp and hanged.

Rev. G. W. Carroll of Beaumont has accepted the pastorate of the First Baptist church of Brownwood, Tex.

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" " Peas, per can.....	16½c
" " String Beans, per can.....	16½c
" " Lima Beans, per can.....	16½c
" " Baked Beans and Tomato Sauce.....	10 & 15c
" Peaches, Pears, Plums, Apricots and Rolly Polly Red pitted Cherries.....	33½c
" Sliced Peaches.....	33½c
" Peaches in Cordial.....	40c

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS:

No. 3.....	1:38 p.m.
No. 5.....	12:46 a.m.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS:

No. 2.....	3:40 p.m.
No. 6.....	2:48 a.m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS:

No. 11 arrives at.....	4:35 p.m.
No. 12 arrives at.....	9:10 a.m.

Salvage Sale Today.

Fancy fishing tackle at Myers'. 86
J. S. Ford returned from Houston yesterday.
Miss Maud Nicol is visiting in Navasota.

See Myers for full line of fancy fishing tackle. 86
W. H. Jones of Navasota was in the city yesterday.

House for Rent. Apply to Mrs. Mabel H. Castles. 87
R. K. Erwin returned to Waxahachie yesterday.

Early Times whiskey, bottled in bond, at Taylor's bar. 85
Dr. Drummond of Cottonwood was in the city yesterday.

Friday, March 15—the opening day of Coulter's Salvage Sale. 85
W. S. Wilson, Jr. was a visitor from Navasota yesterday.

For the best of everything in life insurance see R. G. Tabor. d-tf
J. R. Smith and family of Reliance were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Dr. Keeling was a visitor to the city yesterday en route to Waco.
Say, don't let me forget to see R. G. Tabor about that life insurance. d-tf

A. W. Royder and son, Master Lysle, were visitors from Wellborn yesterday.

Don't miss the "White Fair"—3 days only—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. 85
Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Dowling of the College community were here trading yesterday.

Coming—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—Wilson & Edge's "White Fair Sale." 85
Jim Glass, a student of Allen Academy, left yesterday to visit at his home in Houston.

The people found that the \$3.00 shoe offered by Coulter at 33c was a good thing. Plenty left. 85
Egg shipments by the local dealers are becoming quite heavy and almost of daily occurrence.

Lost—A. O. U. W. gold pin. Finder please return to Eagle office and get liberal reward. F. H. Selden. 89
Good morning! Come down to the store this morning after 9 o'clock. You can buy embroideries, laces, counterpanes, towels, sheetings, etc., at cut prices. W. J. Coulter. 85

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Over 1000 yards of 10c lace sold at Coulter's yesterday at 3c per yard. Plenty left. 85
Dr. J. F. Eaves and P. H. Arrington were visitors from Millican yesterday.

Rev. J. G. Adams of Fort Worth was in the city yesterday and arranged for a lecture Saturday night, March 18, at the Grand opera house, by Mrs. Carrie Nation, who will speak on her joint smashing and jail experiences. Further announcement is made in the regular opera house advertisement in this paper.

Special sale on meats for fifteen days—March 11 to 25, at Konecny Bros. markets. To introduce our Swift & Co's. fine packing house meats and to further extend our business on local products will sell meats for fifteen days for cash only at 4, 5, 7½ and 10 cents per pound. 86

Chas. Claydon of Tabor called on the Eagle while in the city yesterday, and showed us a copy of the American Telephone Journal of March 4, published in New York and Chicago, in which appears a fine illustrated article regarding the glass insulators manufactured by Mr. Claydon.

Fountain & Co. have just received Potted Ham Lunch Tongue Chipped Dried Brisket Beef 85 Beef Veal Loaf Chicken Loaf Vienna Sausage Roast Beef Chicken Tamale Ham Loaf, Chili, Corn Beef Hash.

Report comes from Austin that Judge Henderson is making satisfactory progress towards recovery after his serious illness, which is most gratifying news to relatives and friends in Bryan.

5c calico, best - - - 27-8c
20c oil cloth - - - 10c
\$7.50 men's suits, (soiled) - - \$23.33
3.00 ladies' shoes - - - 33c

Coulter's Salvage Sale.

Monday & Moehlan have installed a rubber tire machine at their blacksmith shop and invite the patronage of the public through an ad in this issue.

Laces, embroideries and muslin underwear will be sold at prices far below value. New clean goods; not soiled or stock worn. "White Fair Sale." Wilson & Edge. 85

R. H. Cannon, Oscar Hall and George Cozart were here yesterday from Boggy, Leon county. Mr. Cozart is a merchant at that place.

Lost—In Bryan yesterday a package of real Valenciennes lace and 12 yards of organdy. Reward for return of lace to Mrs. W. H. Oliver. 85

Joe B. Reed and T. A. Searcy are attending the Woodmen of the World state meeting as delegates from the Bryan camp.

Ladies, our "White Fair Sale" will be a feast for the white goods and embroidery buyer. Come early. Wilson & Edge. 85

Jno. M. Caldwell is having the interior of his jewelry store handsomely repapered and repainted.

Cascade whiskey, shipped direct from distillery at Nashville, Tenn., now on sale at Taylor's bar. 85

H. H. Mimze and Jim Eakin of Bedias, Grimes county, were here on business yesterday.

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Don't you need a new pair of

PANTS

to help out that old winter suit of yours?

WE have today placed on sale our entire stock of Fall and Winter Trousers at the following big reductions in price:

All \$2.00 Trousers	\$1.45
" 2.50 "	1.75
" 3.00 "	2.25
" 3.50 "	2.45
" 4.00 "	2.75
" 5.00 "	3.65
" 6.00 "	4.35

In addition to the above we place on sale today about 50 pair of Spring Weight Trousers carried over from last season, but in perfect condition, at the same reductions in price

See our Window Display.

Park & Waldrop

Clothiers and Furnishers

The suit of H. S. Ramsey et al vs. the H. & T. C., for \$10,000.00 damages went to trial on a new hearing in the district court yesterday morning. This case was previously tried in the Brazos county district court, resulting in a verdict for \$3000.00 for plaintiffs. The case was reversed by the higher court, and is again on trial. Judge Streetman of Houston is attorney for the defendant and Doremus & Butler for plaintiffs. The suit grew out of the killing of John Ramsey, a young man 22 years old, by a train below College station.

Salvage sale today. 85

Prof. C. S. Potts of College delivered a fine address on "The Needs of Public Education in Texas," at Columbus March 10. The speech was reproduced in full in the Galveston News of yesterday.

Thousands of yards of beautiful embroideries, new goods, will be sold at cut prices during our White Fair Sale. Wilson & Edge. 85

Talk about ladies at a special sale! You should have seen the men after the \$7.50 suits at \$23.33. Plenty left. Coulter. 86

For Rent—One of Mrs. Laura Koppe's new cottages on the West Side. Apply at W. E. Saunders' store. 93

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Alexander of Marlin are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Mike.

I. M. Cook of Steep Hollow was in the city yesterday.

J. M. Mize of Iola was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Special!

Boys' suits.
Boys' pants.
Ladies' skirts.
Ladies' waists.
86

Salvage Sale Coulter's.

CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of expressing to friends and neighbors our sincere gratitude for the kindly offices extended upon the death of husband and father, Mr. H. Crenshaw. Such marked evidences of warm and helpful sympathy have been a source of infinite comfort in a hour of need.

Sincerely,
Mrs. H. Crenshaw,
Henry Crenshaw,
Ed Crenshaw.

W. J. Coulter's great fifteen days Salvage Sale opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock, and notwithstanding a pouring rain set in and continued until after the noon hour, the store was crowded by eager buyers all day long, and even with an extra force of clerks employed, it was impossible to wait on the trade. Both town and country people were on hand, some of the latter having come a long distance. The goods are conveniently arranged and plainly placarded, and prices run from 1 cent up. A visit to the store is necessary to get an idea of this great merchandising event.

L. S. Ross chapter U. D. C. will celebrate Texas Heroes Day Thursday, March 16th at 3:30 p. m., with president, Mrs. J. W. Johnson. Memorial services for the late Hon. John H. Reagan will also be held. Mrs. W. A. Banks.

Recording Sec'y L. S. Ross Chapter No. 100.

The Parker Amusement Co. closed a contract yesterday with the Carnegie library board to put on their carnival of six or seven shows here next Monday. This company have a good reputation where they have been, among other places at Hearne.

We sell the famous Swift & Co's fine cold storage meats, also the best beef, pork, etc., the local market affords. Special sale cash prices for fifteen days ending March 26th, 4, 5, 7½ and 10 cents per pound. Konecny Bros. Phone 160. 86

There will be a complete change of moving pictures tonight at the free moving picture entertainment. The feature and last picture will be the old astronomers dream of his trip to the moon.

7½c nainsook, 4 cents per yard.
7½c India white lawn, 3½c yard.
12½c India white lawn, 8c per yard.
Lonsdale cambric, 36 in. wide, 9c yd.
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at Wilson & Edge's "White Fair Sale."

Fountain & Co. have just received Potted Ham Lunch Tongue Chipped Dried Brisket Beef 85 Beef Veal Loaf Chicken Loaf Vienna Sausage Roast Beef Chicken Tamale Ham Loaf, Chili, Corn Beef Hash.

All stocks of white linens, Persian and Indian lawns, beautiful white waistings, nainsooks, dimities, and organdies will be included in our White Fair sale Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Wilson & Edge.

The Sul Ross Literary Society is interested in the Eagle Library contest, and will do all in its power to bring the library to our College.—The Battalion.

Quite a number of the Agricultural students intend to take in the Fort Worth stock show that is to be held about the 11th of this month.—The Battalion.

Webb Bros have a new ad in the Eagle this morning calling attention to the well known merits of Stein-Bloch Clothing. New spring styles now showing.

District Attorney Ralston returned to Cameron yesterday to stay until next Monday, when the criminal docket will be called in the district court.

For Rent—Eight room house, conveniently located. Cistern, well, servant house, barn and three acres of land. Apply to J. L. Fountain. 85

The best meats in Bryan for fifteen days ending March 26, for cash at 4, 5, 7½ and 10 cents per pound—special sale. (86) Konecny Bros., Phone 160.

You get either packing house or home raised meats at Konecny Bros. markets. Special cash prices now being made. Phone 160. 86

That last lot of drummer sample skirts bought by Coulter comprises all the newest ideas. Your choice at wholesale cost. 85

All the ladies told me that my 8c India linen was equal to what they had been paying 15c for. W. J. Coulter. 86

It took two ladies and a boy to cut off the calico at 2½c yesterday, but we have plenty left. Coulter. 86

Mrs. A. D. True and Miss Mary Pitts arrived yesterday afternoon from Fort Worth.

Misses Jennie and Zenie Cothran of Montgomery were visitors to Bryan yesterday.

72 counterpanes sold in one day at Coulter's. Plenty left. 86

The City National Bank

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Capital - - - \$ 50,000
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Perfectly finished, next to Buchanan Saddle Shop. Can for a Deliver work in city free. Ring 227.



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as shirt, collars and cuffs injured more by improper washing and ironing than actual wear. This is a solid fact, as you know. It is also a fact that your linen is twice as long and lasts by having them last.

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Laundry. This you can give your money to, and find out much you save by it.

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same office and will give his entire time to the Insurance business. —Life, Accident and Sick Benefit Insurance for men and women, in Fraternal and Straight Life Insurance companies of which I represent the best. It is to your interest to me as I can save you from \$2.00 to \$4.00 on each \$1000 insurance. I call special attention to "FRIEND IN NEED SOCIETY." Every man and woman in good health is eligible for members under fifty-five years old. Many now are enjoying the benefit of life insurance that would not if not for my efforts.



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THE WELL DRESSED MAN

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HAVE JUST RECEIVED
Up-to-date Rubber Tire Machine
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Have the agency for a first-class Hat Cleaning and Reblocking house at Houston. Old hats made new at small expense.
Dress at Exchange Shaving Parlor.

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Has Received a
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and solicits the patronage of the public in putting Rubber Tires on vehicles, Repair Work, Etc.
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Hair work guaranteed. Hot and Cold
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FOR SALE.
The N. B. Cole block in Hall's addition. Price \$750.00.
One quarter of a block in eastern part of town, price \$225. 1/2 cash.
50 acres of land and a good four room residence, located inside city limits. Price \$1500.00
262 acres of land on east side of town, known as the Caldwell pasture. Will sell in tracts to suit purchasers and on easy terms.
3 lots in good neighborhood, with fine shade trees. Price \$300. Terms easy.
7-room house and 2 lots on east side of town. Brick cistern and dug well. Price \$750. Terms easy.
450 acres of timber land in Kurten neighborhood in tracts to suit purchasers. Price \$3.00 to \$4.00 per acre. Terms easy.
The Mistrot place in south part of town. Eighth acres and a two-story 8 room house. Bath room with hot and cold water, two underground cisterns and water-works. All necessary out houses. Price \$3,500.

You Are Not Feeling Well,
tired and worn out, perhaps overworked. Don't feel this way when
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are so near at hand, they will build you up, keep you well and ward off Biliousness, Sick Headache, Nervous Debility, Liver and Kidney Troubles.
They Purify the Blood, set right the Disordered Stomach, arouse the Sluggish Liver, dispel Sick-Headache, build up the Nervous System, and repair the damage caused by overwork and brain worry.
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The Mattress Business. Old mattresses made new. I also upholster old chairs and lounges; take up, clean and put down carpets and matting. Please send me your orders at Capt. G. W. Smith's office.
ZACK TALLEY.

TEXAS FORESTS.
Department of Agriculture Invited to Look Into Matter.
Austin, March 15.—A resolution was adopted in the legislature Wednesday providing that the United States department of agriculture be invited to examine the forest conditions and resources of Texas and make suggestions as to the best methods to be adopted to save the forests from destruction.
The militia bill was passed to third reading in the house. The bill seeks to place the Texas militia on a higher plane and conform strictly to the provisions of the Dick bill.
In the senate the bill legalizing ticket scalping in Texas was passed finally. The bill imposes an annual tax of \$600 on ticket scalpers.
The joint legislative committee appointed to look after the beef trust in Texas held an executive session Wednesday at which time several persons interested in the matter appeared before the committee. Among them was C. A. Walsh, national committeeman from Iowa, who is in Texas gathering testimony for Hearst on the operations of the Standard Oil company, and incidentally on the beef trust. Sam Cowan of Fort Worth, secretary of the Texas Cattle Raisers' association, also appeared before the committee. Some interesting developments are expected from this committee when it makes its report to the governor and legislature.

CLOSED BY BRADY.
Spoke For Four Hours and Reviewed Moore Case in Detail.
Austin, March 15.—County Attorney Brady closed the argument for the state in the Moore bribery case Wednesday morning. He began his speech at 9:20 o'clock and spoke for four hours, reviewing the case in detail. When Brady concluded the court announced that a recess would be taken to 2 o'clock, at which time he would charge the jury.

JACK KILLS BABY.
Little One's Brains Were Dashed Out and Bones Broken.
Paris, Tex., March 15.—Mrs. May Helm, wife of a tenant farmer on D. H. Thom's place southwest of Paris, went to the barnyard to look for eggs. She carried her three-months-old daughter in her arms and while walking across the lot was attacked by a jack which was running loose in the enclosure.
The animal grabbed the infant in its teeth and ran about the lot, shaking it fiercely. The mother pursued it and succeeded in regaining the baby, but before she could escape from the lot the jack again seized it and repeated its horrible work.
The child's brains were dashed out and most of its bones were broken by the animal's teeth and the blows it received against the fence. Mrs. Helm finally rescued the body, but in the struggle was seriously bruised herself. She managed to get outside the fence with the burden when the father reached the house from the field where he was at work. He took his gun and killed the jack.

AFTER RAPE FIEND.
Enraged Citizens Carried a Rope, Six-shooters and Shotguns.
Houston, March 15.—With a rope, sixshooters and shotguns, a posse of enraged citizens were chasing a white man who Wednesday morning criminally assaulted a young society lady at Brunner, a suburb. She was alone at home when he entered, representing himself to be an agent. Her screams brought neighbors. A posse was soon formed. The man fled to the country.
H. Rider Haggard, the novelist, and daughter passed through Houston Wednesday morning en route to San Antonio, where they will spend several days. Haggard is working on a colonization scheme for the poor of New York and London.

GREAT GUSHER.
Thousand Feet From Cissell Well and Spouts Top of Derrick.
Beaumont, Tex., March 15.—Tuesday night the Guffey company finished drilling a well on Spindletop and when it started bailing Wednesday morning the oil came with a gush and is spouting to the top of the derrick. The well is located about 1000 feet from the Cissell well, which came in as a 500-barrel gusher Tuesday. The wells have revived interest in Spindletop.

OFFICERS CHOSEN.
E. D. Henry of San Antonio Elected Head Consul of the Woodmen.
Waco, March 15.—The Woodmen elected a portion of the grand officers Wednesday forenoon as follows: E. D. Henry, San Antonio, head consul; John K. Strecker, Waco, head adviser; J. W. Blake, Dallas, head banker.

Colorado Contest.
Denver, March 16.—All sorts of wild rumors regarding the situation of the gubernatorial contest were in circulation Wednesday. One of these was to the effect that two of Governor Adams' supporters in the legislative convention had been kidnapped. Peabody and anti-Peabody Republicans conferred on a plan to seat Peabody as governor with the understanding that he will immediately resign, leaving the office to Lieutenant Governor McDonald.

NEWS IN BRIEF.
Eligwood, Tex., is to have a bank. Hugo (I. T.) National bank has been organized.
One hundred men are taking census of Oklahoma City.
Farmers around Terrell, Tex., report best alfalfa crop in years.
Cotton Belt road will build a fire brick roundhouse at Texarkana.
Russian General Meyendorff fell from his horse and broke his collar bone.

MINISTER TO MEXICO.
First Assistant Secretary of State Loomis to Be Appointed.
Washington, March 15.—Francis B. Loomis, first assistant secretary of state, will be appointed, it is planned now, ambassador to Mexico. Mr.

IS CONFIRMED.
Postponement of Loan Tends Strongly to Bring About Peace.
Paris, March 15.—Postponement of Russian loan has been definitely confirmed. This is likely to exert a powerful influence toward peace, as it is the first time French financiers have shown an indisposition to advance funds while the uncertainties of war continue. The following details of the postponement are from an authoritative source: A committee representing a syndicate of French underwriters went to St. Petersburg to arrange conditions with the minister of finance and a contract was drawn up for \$120,000,000, taking the form of treasury bonds and running seven years at 5 per centum. The contract had been brought back to Paris for approval of all underwriters. In the meantime disastrous events in Manchuria naturally aroused doubts on the part of financiers as to whether Russia should make peace or pursue war. Influence of financial elements was almost unanimous for peace, but Russia's disinclination to consider peace appears to have induced the decision not to proceed with the contract, and accordingly the signing, which was expected Tuesday, has been postponed and all pending negotiations are also postponed. According to the Russian view, this does not mean that negotiations have been broken off, but merely that they are adjourned, as the Russian authorities say the syndicate holds itself bound toward Russia as before. However, circumstances of the adjournment tend to show that the syndicate inclines to wait for some definite development of peace before proceeding any further. It is authoritatively denied in highest Russian quarters that the French government has exercised any pressure toward preventing increase of French holdings of Russian securities. Nevertheless, it is probable that some members of the government, acting individually, voiced the privileged view that caution is desirable.

It is significant that the postponement of the loan is coincident with the stirring movement of the influential French press favorable to peace. The Matin prominently displays a statement, believed to reflect the views of financial circles, which declares that if Japan is ready to adopt a generous attitude by waiving an indemnity or imposing any humiliation upon Russia, then Russia's policy of war to the bitter end will cease. It is noticeable that some Russian officials speak approvingly of the latter proposition. They say peace is impossible if an indemnity or any humiliating conditions are asked, so that the elimination of these two points will go far toward securing favorable consideration of peace.

TACOMA SEIZED.
American Steamer Is In Custody of a Japanese Guardship.
Tokio, March 15.—The American steamer Tacoma was seized by a Japanese guardship Tuesday. The Tacoma is owned by the Northwestern Commercial Steamship company of Seattle, from which port she sailed Jan. 6 with a cargo of barrel beef for Vladivostok. It is said, although ostensibly for Shanghai. When last reported the Tacoma was fast in the ice north of Hokkaido island with Japanese ships lying in wait to pick her up when she worked clear.

Grand Duke Will Go.
St. Petersburg, March 15.—It is now definitely stated the emperor will send Grand Duke Nicholas Nikolaevitch to replace Kuropatkin.

CRIME CONFESSED.
Victim's Throat Cut and Two Trains Passed Over Body.
El Reno, Okla., March 15.—James Malone, arrested on the charge of murdering James Mooney, confessed his crime. The murdered man's throat was cut and two trains passed over his body. Mooney was killed in a box car and his body thrown on the track.

VIOLENT EXPLOSION.
Several Persons, One of Them Injured by Blowup, Under Arrest.
Moscow, March 15.—A violent explosion occurred in Theater square. Several persons, one of whom was injured by the explosion, were arrested.

Carver Purchases Paper.
Denison, March 15.—Robert G. Carver, editor of the Herald for a number of years, has purchased the Sherman Register. Consideration, \$10,000. Mr. Carver takes immediate possession.

JURISDICTION "C."
Woodmen of the World Gather in Biennial Meeting at Waco.
Waco, March 15.—A large number of delegates are in attendance at the biennial meeting of the Woodmen of the World, jurisdiction "C," composed of Texas, New Mexico and Arizona. Alderman Hamilton and Congressman Henry delivered addresses of welcome. On the part of the Woodmen, Judge William Poindexter of Cleburne and Sovereign E. E. Brugher of Linden delivered appropriate responses, after which the head consul named several committees.
The report of Mr. Fraser was carefully listened to. It contained much information of importance to the order. Among other things the report showed their jurisdiction had nearly 80,000 members to Texas having 74,282 members Dec. 31, 1904; New Mexico, 941; and Arizona, 715. During 1904 Texas gained in membership 11,155. The formation of a number of committees was recommended. Total membership of the order Dec. 31, 1904, is given at 237,252. Head Consul Fraser was the recipient of a jewel of office, a glittering device in heavy gold, sparkling with settings. Sovereign J. Lightfoot making the presentation address.

Had a Derelict in Tow.
A naval officer one day noticed two sailors in earnest confab. One of them was imparting information to his companion of a very agreeable nature, judging from his beaming countenance. The officer in relating the incident says the manner of the speaker amused him very much. As he passed by the man raised his voice, with the unmistakable intention of being overheard, saying to his companion:
"I mean to give up this seafaring life when my time is out. I am going to marry a rich widow woman, the derelict of a butcher."

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Two brick buildings on Main street. Lot 25x30 in rear of Mrs. White's furniture store. A bargain.
Ten acres of land, five blocks southwest of I. & G. N. railroad.
Other city property, improved and unimproved, of all kinds.

COUNTRY PROPERTY.
600 acres, 16 miles north of Bryan, all fenced with 4 wires and cedar posts. Subdivide into convenient pastures: 1/2 prairie, 1/2 timber. Fine grass and water. Land suitable for any kind of farming, stock, etc. Terms 1/2 cash, balance and 2 years.
The Thomas Hensarling old Molver place, near Madisonville, Tex. 370 acres. One of the best improved places in Madison county.
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130 acres 1/2 mile west of Mangan's well, on Mumford road, unimproved.
Some valuable farm lands in Brazos bottom and on up lands for sale or exchange.
We sell, rent, and exchange property. Titles and claims carefully investigated anywhere.
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We are prepared to insure any kind of insurable property—stores, stocks of merchandise, machinery, corporation property, warehouses, cotton, country property, gins, etc.
We can insure your life in the best companies on earth for a less premium than many companies charge for the same class of property. This is important, as statistics inform us that while Fire Insurance is a good thing, Life Insurance is more important as out of 1200 fire risks one burns, where every man who insures his life dies.

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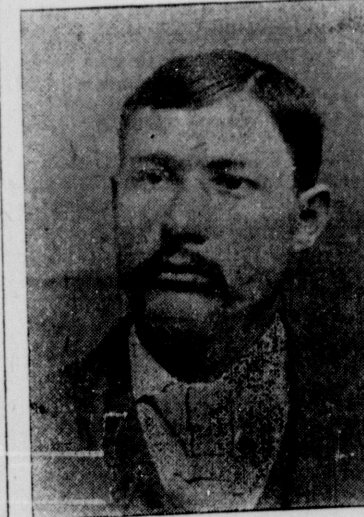
Eggs.
It is not only cigars that vary in name without varying in quality. The present writer was once told when hesitating between "fresh eggs" at ten a shilling and "good breakfast eggs" at eight a shilling or something to that effect that these two brands were precisely the same, but had to be sold as two qualities because no customers would buy eggs at a shop where only one quality was advertised. That may or may not be so. The fact remains that there are many qualities of eggs known to all housewives before we get down to what a late comedian termed briefly "eggs."—London Chronicle.

Where Wealth Is Wooden.
At Gombi a man's wealth is reckoned first by the number of slaves he owns, next by the number of wives and then by the number of chests, empty or otherwise, he possesses. To give security to these chests, locks of American make are in great demand all over the country, and keys in large numbers are worn by the natives as the outward symbol of abundant property, though it is quite likely that many of the chests are entirely empty.
Then He Did Walk.
Little Brother—Can't you walk straight, Mr. Mangle? Mr. Mangle—Of course I can, my little man. Why do you ask? Little Brother—Oh, nothing, only I heard sister say she'd soon straighten you up when she married you. And ma said she'd help her.

Bret Harte as a Consul.
Bret Harte's consulship at Glasgow was a sort of joke. William Black told me that once when he was returning from a tour with Harte as they slowly entered a city Bret said, "What huge, ugly place is this?"
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